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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111 and 37 C.F.R. 1.53 is the patent application of:

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entitled: "INTELLIGENT DISCOVERY OF NETWORK INFORMATION FROM MULTIPLE INFORMATION GATHERING AGENTS"

Enclosed are:

- ☒ 36 pages of written description, claims and abstract.
- ☒ 10 sheet(s) of drawings.
- ☒ an assignment of the invention to International Business Machines Corporation
- ☒ combined declaration and power of attorney of the inventor(s).
- ☐ a certified copy of a _____ application.
- ☐ associate power of attorney.
- ☒ information disclosure statement.
- ☐ preliminary amendment.
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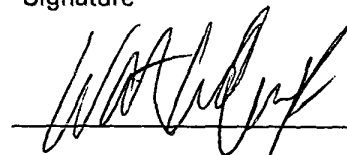
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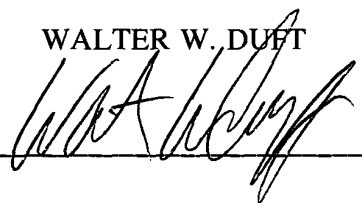
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